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Sri M. ETHIRAJULU :—" அரசாங்கம் வருஷா வருஷம் ஏராளமான பணத்தை வாடகைக்காக செலவிடவேண்டியிருப்பதால், சர்க்கார் காரியாலயங்களைப்பொருத்த வரையில், தேவையான கட்டடங்களைக் கட்டுவதற்கு இரண்டாவது ஐந்தாண்டுத் திட்டத்திலாவது வகை செய்வார்களா ? "

The Hon. Sri R. SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" We make efforts to build as many as possible but we are unable to do much."

Travellers Bungalows maintained by the Government

* 339 *Q.*—Sri M. ETHIRAJULU : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of travellers bungalows in the State maintained by the Government; and

(*b*) how many of them have been provided with lavatory convenience?

The Hon. Sri R. SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" (*a*) Two hundred and seventy-one bungalows, which include inspection bungalows, travellers bungalows, circuit houses and rest sheds.

" (*b*) Two hundred and twenty-two of them are provided with lavatory convenience."

Sri M. ETHIRAJULU :—" மீதம் இருக்கும் ஐம்பதுக்கு மேற்பட்ட முசாபரி பங்களாக்களிலும் எப்பொழுது lavatory convenience ஏற்படுத்தப்படும் என்று மந்திரி அவர்கள் சொல்லமுடியுமா ? "

The Hon. Sri R. SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" We did not provide them with modern sanitation facilities like flush-out, etc. They have got ordinary sanitary facilities. We are slowly attending to the work."

Buses run by the State Transport Service

* 340 *Q.*—Sri T. PURUSHOTHAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Religious Endowments and Transport be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of buses owned by the Government for the State Transport Service in and around Madras;

(*b*) the number of buses actually running and in use as on 1st July 1955;

(*c*) the number of buses on the sick list and the number under overhauling as on 1st July 1955; and

(*d*) the arrangements made for servicing and repair of the Government buses.

The Hon. Sri B. PARAMESWARAN :—" (*a*) Three hundred and ninety-eight (398) buses on 1st July 1955.

" (*b*) Two hundred and seventy-nine (279) buses which exclude 2 buses kept as spare.